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Arguments for and Against Amendment No. 6.

The champions of Amendment No. 6 give the following reasons why the measure should be adopted:

Road districts should have the authority to obtain money by a direct levy upon the property in the district for the purpose of making, improving and maintaining the roads in the district.

Amendment No. 6 seeks to confer upon each road district in the State the authority to accomplish the purpose above stated. It should be adopted for the following reasons:

(1) Roads can not be made and maintained without money. The Constitution, as it now stands, does not provide for a levy in road districts for road purposes. This amendment provides a simple, direct way of raising the money and places the burden upon the taxpayer in the district in proportion to the amount of property he owns in said district.

(2) It places the matter of raising money for road purposes and the matter of making and maintaining the roads in the districts absolutely in the hands of the people in the district. In other words, it gives the people of the district the right to attend to their own affairs in the matter of building roads. If this amendment is adopted the people of each road district will be given the right to elect their own road overseers and to transact their road matters much in the same way the school districts transact their school matters.

OPPOSING ARGUMENT.

The reasons given by the opponents of Amendment No. 6 why it should be voted down are as follows:

This amendment ought not be adopted because it creates new and additional ways of levying taxes. The Constitution as it is affords ample means for raising taxes for all necessary and legitimate purposes. Just because good roads are a good thing is no reason for going "hog wild" on the subject. Too much money now raised in the name of good roads goes into road overseers' and others' pockets instead of on the roads. We already have too many road laws. Let us out of some of the expenses for "inspecting" this, that and the other and add the money thus saved to the automobile registration fees for building roads with funds raised by the State.

Our Opportunity and Our Responsibility.

If ever America puts its hand to the plow in its effort to feed the world, it has assumed that responsibility now. Not since the harrowing days following our own strife of the sixties have the tillable acres of this country faced such a possible drain upon their bountyfulness. Without even dimly prophesying the duration of the war now raging, we are already assured of the fact that next year this country will be storehouse of the world. Every farm owner, every tenant and every share-worker will have his part to play in fulfilling this great responsibility. No matter how remote his residence, he will hear Europe's call for beef, bacon and bread, and on the amount he has to sell will depend not only his satisfaction of having served his fellowmen but the additional satisfaction of having served himself; for big crops, much stock, many hogs next year will mean big profits.

It is thus that the American farmer begins his fall work with two strings to his bow. With one hand he is reaping the perishing and with the other he is reaching out for tangible encouragement toward a bank account and a better home.

Now is his opportunity, and this month is the time to lay his foundation. There are two lines along which he should work, but only one line along which he should work his plan. First, he should utilize every available part of his land, and second, he should strive to raise the average yield of his farm per acre. There will be no danger of over-production for the crops sown this fall. The man who has a big yield will find a big market. But to get this yield means a better kind of farming. Now would be a good time to break away from some old-fashioned ideas about the moon; from some old-fashioned ways of shal-low plowing; and some old-fashioned carelessness in cultivating; and some old-fashioned theories in regard to seeding. In those parts of the country which do fall plowing and fall seeding, the way the seed bed is made and the way the sowing is done this fall will determine the crop per acre next year more than next year's rainfall, hot winds or frosts. In an ex-

periment not long ago described by F. L. Peterson of the University Farm at Davis, California, he says:

"As the pressure for supplies becomes greater, it becomes more evident that the world cannot afford large farms skimmed over with careless culture. In an actual experiment a gain of 200 per cent was found to be due to better plowing and harrowing, 50 per cent to better cultivation, and the rest to better seeds."—Douglas Malcolm.

Many People Converted.

(From The Bismarck Gazette.)

The Burke and Hobbs revival continues here with increasing volume and power at every service. Evangelists Burke and Hobbs have completely won the hearts of the entire town and community.

More than 100 souls have been saved to date, and only eternity can tell the good that has been done for the town and community. We hear the expression, "That it is a new Bismarck," and it can never be the same again.

The services last Monday deserve special mention. It being Labor Day an all day meeting was announced at the tabernacle. A special train on the Illinois Southern brought a great crowd of people from the Lead Belt towns. A large crowd of people were at the station to meet the train. The children, each one with an American flag, led by Hobbs, headed the procession in the march from the depot to the tabernacle.

It was estimated that fifteen hundred people were at the tent during the day. Bismarck never saw anything like it in the history of the town. At 11 o'clock Rev. Hobbs preached on "The Key that Unlocks Heaven" and showed the wonderful power of prayer, speaking largely out of his own rich experience.

The Juniors sang to delight of the great audience. The children love Hobbs and he knows how to get them to sing. The special music from Flat River under the leadership of Mr. Ramsey was great. The male quartette from St. Louis sang to the delight of all, and was a treat we seldom enjoy.

In the afternoon Steve Burke preached a great sermon to the labor union on "How to Succeed." Few men can preach like Steve Burke. He at all times has complete control of his audience. The great secret of Steve Burke's power is the constraining love of Christ and a compassion for lost men, that know no limit. No one can hear him without feeling intuitively that he is a man of God, bringing a message from the very heart of the Father himself.

Cottage prayer meetings have been held at residences the past two weeks with good results.

Burke and Hobbs make a great team and we are glad they are with us and wish them and the people of the town the greatest of success.

Finding Out the Law.

The ignorance of the law has lots to answer for. The law, being of such an uninteresting and complicated nature that nobody ever finds out anything about it until he actually has to, and of such an inconsistent and vague nature that one can always find a law on his side if he looks long enough, it follows that ignorance of the law is so dense that the cost of dispelling it makes litigants tremble.

If the law were anything like what it ought to be in a civilized community, there would be no necessity of having so many books and so many court officials and so many lawyers and so many judges and so many expert witnesses and so many experts that makes the whole business a mystic, musty haze. A simple dispute could be simply settled. But now, one man, being ignorant of the law, hires a lawyer, who is also ignorant of the law, to pursue another man, who, knowing no law, can defend himself only by hiring another lawyer. Then, after the whole thing is gone with sufficient detail to prove to the judge that the law permits him to decide it in favor of either litigant, he hands down his decision in accordance with the state of his own feelings or previous condition of political servitude.—E. O. J., in Life.

Robbed the Circuit Judge.

(West Plains Gazette.)

Judge W. N. Evans of West Plains, while at Caruthersville last week acting as special judge in the Pemisquit county circuit court, was robbed one night while asleep in his room at the Majestic Hotel in that city.

Judge Evans had retired early in the night after a strenuous day in court. He carefully folded his trousers and laid them on a chair near the bed. Peace and quiet reigned supreme, except the mosquitoes that come from the Mississippi river near by to serenade the judicial visitor.

In the still hours of the night a prowler emerged from one of the hotel rooms. "He was in his stocking feet, for no one heard the intruder. He carried a long curtain pole, two fish hooks being fastened to one end of the pole. From the top of a step ladder the robber looked through the

transom into the room of Judge Evans. Then with the fishing pole he caught the trousers and soon had the coveted prize. A fine gold watch and \$25 in money were in the trousers.

Upon awakening the next morning Judge Evans discovered his loss. He was forced to remain in bed until the hotel landlord procured a new pair of trousers. Then an investigation was made and the method of the robber learned. Later in the day Judge Evans' trousers were found in the hotel. The Caruthersville police are on the trail of the man who fished and caught the Judge's trousers.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound of imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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The United States imports relatively little hydraulic cement, only 84,630 barrels having been imported in 1913, whereas the domestic production in that year was nearly 68,000,000 barrels. There is little or no need to import any cement, for all parts of the country are now fairly well supplied with mills for the manufacture of Portland cement, and the supply of raw materials is practically inexhaustible. A significant feature of the cement industry, however, is the fact that, though only about 80 per cent of the normal cement-producing capacity of the country is employed at the maximum, there is often an overproduction; yet the exports of hydraulic cement have scarcely exceeded 4,200,000 barrels in any year, this amount being only about five per cent of the total output—not sufficient to take care of the surplus production in a year of great activity.

There seem to be excellent reasons for stimulating the export trade in cement as rapidly as possible, for, although the export of a relatively bulky and low-priced material such as cement does not promise large direct profits to an individual producer, indirectly the creation and maintenance of an export trade should benefit the industry at large through the opportunity afforded of disposing of surplus stocks and thereby tending to maintain steadier prices.—Bulletin 599, U. S. Geological Survey.

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Shadows.

"Could you sing that song about the twilight when the flickering shadows softly come and go?" said the sentimental youth. "Sir!" exclaimed the lady at the piano. "I don't approve either of the current fashions in gowns or of the promiscuous references to them."

Special Sale on at Brown's. Great bargains in all kinds of Underwear, suitable for every one, and on Hosiery, cotton, silk and lace, for men, women and children.—Adv.

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Why Contractor Wears Derby Hat. A New York contractor always wears a derby in tunnel work, because it acts as a bumper and protects his head in crowded quarters. A soft hat is little protection when one's head strikes against the timbering of a tunnel.—Engineering Record.

Have you tried the New drink called Cherry Chic, which can be had at the Kandy Kitchen?

A Prolonged Effort.

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Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI,) ss
COUNTY OF IRON.

In the Circuit Court, October Term, 1914.
H. B. Ake, Elizabeth Ake, V. M. Ake and Dora E. Wemp, Plaintiffs,

versus
Phillip Heiber, if living; or, if dead, the unknown heirs and devisees of Phillip Heiber, deceased; Phillip Hilber, if living; or, if dead, the unknown heirs and devisees of Phillip Hilber, deceased; Jason D. Simmonds, if living; or, if dead, the unknown heirs and devisees of Jason D. Simmonds, deceased; Jason D. Simmonds, if living; or, if dead, the unknown heirs and devisees of Jason D. Simmonds, deceased; Dominique J. Lucie, if living; or, if dead, the unknown heirs and devisees of Dominique J. Lucie, deceased; George W. Fogg, if living; or, if dead, the unknown heirs and devisees of George W. Fogg, deceased; Defendants.

(Action to try title.)

The State of Missouri to the above named Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of the County of Iron, in the State of Missouri, for the purpose of trying title to the following described lands in Iron County, Missouri, to wit:

The west one-half of the southeast quarter, and the southwest quarter of section fifteen, (15), in township thirty-two, (32), north, range four (4) east; and the northeast quarter of section fourteen, (14), in township thirty-two, (32), north, range four (4) east, containing, in all, 400 acres, more or less.

Which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said Court, to be held at the courthouse, in the City of Ironton, in the County of Iron, and State of Missouri, when and where you may appear and defend such action; otherwise Plaintiff's petition will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published, according to law, in the IRON COUNTY REGISTER, a newspaper published in said County of Iron, for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least thirty days before the first day of said next October term of this Court.

J. M. HAWKINS, Circuit Clerk.
A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand, and seal of the (SEAL) Circuit Court of Iron County, this 10th day of August, 1914.

J. M. HAWKINS, Circuit Clerk.